

Longleaf Pine Range

Coastal Headwaters Forest – Longleaf Conservation and Restoration

Lead Partner: The Conservation Fund

The 205,000-acre Coastal Headwaters project, located in Florida and Alabama, will utilize key partnerships and resources to acquire conservation easements and restore the off-site loblolly pine to the native longleaf pine. In doing so, more than 44 at-risk species' habitat will be enhanced and increased acres of longleaf pine restored. Water quality and quantity to the Gulf of Mexico will be protected and jobs retained.

Securing Private Working Forests to Benefit Longleaf Pine, Threatened and Endangered Species, and Military Readiness

Lead partner: U.S. Endowment for Forestry and Communities

The partners will target acres of working longleaf in South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, and Louisiana, with a greater than one-to-one match from the Department of Defense and other partners. Protecting longleaf forest and maintaining lands in and surrounding up to ten military installations—each with individual goals—will support existing longleaf and gopher tortoise efforts while also maintaining critical land areas around military bases.